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PATENT EXAMINING OPERATION**

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For: COOLING APPARATUS USED FOR CRYONIC PRESERVATION, AND
CORRESPONDING OPERATING METHOD

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated October 29, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on Page 7 of this paper.